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Application Number 09/674,984	Filing Date January 08, 2001	Examiner W. D. Coleman	Art Unit 9242
Invention Title A DEVICE AND METHOD FOR DETERMINING THE LATERAL UNDERCUT OF A STRUCTURED SURFACE LAYER		Applicant(s) Volker BECKER et al.	

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Sir:

Applicant submits that a surcharge of \$44.00 for including excess claims was inappropriately charged to the above referenced application.

On November 24, 2004, Applicant mailed to the Patent Office an Amendment for the above-identified application responding to the Office Action of June 10, 2004. The Amendment Transmittal added one (1) new claim for which the fee should have been \$18.00. However, on November 24, 2004 the USPTO charged \$44.00 to the Kenyon & Kenyon, Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

It is requested that the difference (\$44.00-\$18.00) of \$26.00 be refunded and credited to the Kenyon & Kenyon, Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

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AMENDMENT

SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 10, 2004, please reconsider the above-
 identified application in view of the following.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
 page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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